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## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed for filing is [X] an original patent application or,  [ ] a continuation-in-part patent application by__MARK DAVIS, JOHN MURPHY and CLARK BREYMAN__  for _METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INCREMENTAL COMPUTATION OF THE ACCURACY OF A CATEGORIZATION-BY-EXAMPLE SYSTEM_.

Also enclosed are:

[X]      _5_ sheet(s) of [X] formal  [ ] informal drawing(s);

[X]     _18_ sheet(s) of specification/abstract;

[X]      _7_ sheet(s) of claims;

[ ]      a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 in
         [ ] a separate document  [ ] the declaration;

[X]      Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i).

[ ]      Applicant claims small entity status.  See Rule 37 C.F.R. 1.27.

[ ]      an Assignment document and form PTO-1595;

[ ]      [ ] a declaration of the inventor(s); [ ] combined declaration and power of attorney.

[X]      Disclosure Statement, PTO-Form 1449 and 6 references.

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| CLAIMS | | | | |
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Respectfully submitted,

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| | Title | METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INCREMENTAL COMPUTATION OF THE ACCURACY OF A CATEGORIZATION-BY-EXAMPLE SYSTEM |
| | Atty Docket Number | INXT 1017-1 |

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